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Customer No.: 24978

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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE ("USPTO")

Inventors:	Kazumasa OMOTE et al.	Confirmation No.:	3471
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Title:	DEVICE AND METHOD FOR WORM DETECTION, AND COMPUTER PRODUCT		

Commissioner for Patents
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AMENDMENT E

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated January 21, 2010, whose period for response is hereby petitioned for extension by three (3) months to July 21, 2010, and concurrent with the filing of a Request for Continued Examination (RCE), kindly amend the above-identified application as set forth below. In view of the same as well as the following remarks, kindly reconsider and further examine the application.

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 20 of this paper.